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All Wheat Stocks Stored in Northwest Region Down 32 Percent from June 1, 2017

All wheat stored in all positions on June 1, 2018 totaled 18.5 million bushels in Idaho, down from 34.9 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 38 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 70 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, wheat stored in all positions totaled 17.0 million bushels, down from 17.2 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 1 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 20 percent compared to the previous year. In Washington, wheat stored in all positions totaled 44.1 million bushels, down from 65.0 million bushels a year ago. Offfarm stocks were down 30 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 63 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, wheat stored in all positions totaled 1.10 billion bushels, down from 1.18 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 2 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 32 percent compared to the previous year.

Barley stocks in all positions on June 1, 2018 totaled 22.7 million bushels in Idaho, down from 25.8 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 18 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 13 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, barley stored in all positions totaled 410,000 bushels, up from 402,000 bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 26 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 100 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, barley stored in all positions totaled 94.7 million bushels, down from 106 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 14 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 2 percent compared to the previous year.

Oats stored in off-farm locations on June 1, 2018 totaled 78,000 bushels in Idaho, down from 171,000 bushels a year ago. In Oregon, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 343,000 bushels, down from 467,000 bushels a year ago. In Washington, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 43,000 bushels, down from 67,000 bushels the previous year. Nationally, oats stored in all positions totaled 41.0 million bushels, down from 50.3 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 20 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 16 percent compared to the previous year.

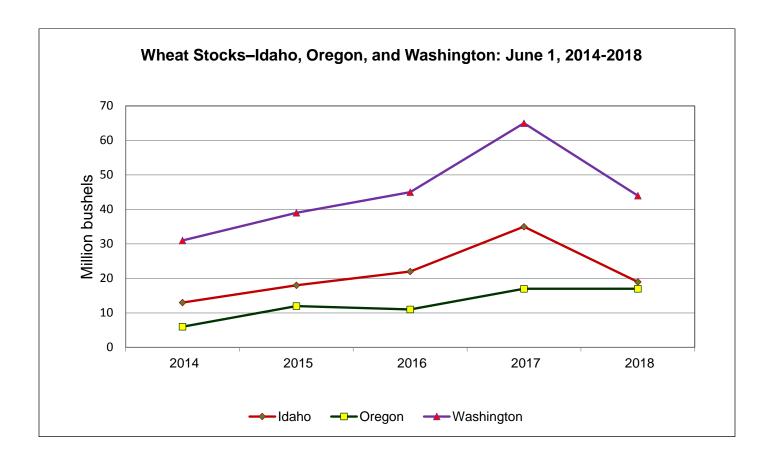
Corn stored in off-farm locations on June 1, 2018 totaled 4.41 million bushels in Idaho. In Washington, corn stored in off-farm locations totaled 6.82 million bushels, down from 8.92 million bushels a year ago. Nationally, corn stored in all positions totaled 5.31 billion bushels, up from 5.23 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 7 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 3 percent compared to the previous year.

Grain Stocks by Position — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: June 1, 2017, March 1, 2018 and June 1, 2018

	Idaho			Oregon		
Date	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat						
June 1, 2017	9,300	25,566	34,866	1,500	15,681	17,181
March 1, 2018	15,500	24,707	40,207	2,500	20,083	22,583
June 1, 2018	2,800	15,725	18,525	1,200	15,819	17,019
Barley						
June 1, 2017	4,600	21,200	25,800	90	312	402
March 1, 2018	14,500	20,500	35,000	260	380	640
June 1, 2018	5,200	17,471	22,671	180	230	410
Oats						
June 1, 2017	(D)	171	(D)	(D)	467	(D)
March 1, 2018	(D)	124	(D)	(D)	360	(D)
June 1, 2018	(D)	78	(D)	(D)	343	(D)
Corn						
June 1, 2017	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
March 1, 2018	` '	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
June 1, 2018	(D)	4,412	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Washington			United States		
	On farms	Off farms 1	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat						
June 1, 2017	4,000	60,973	64,973	191,755	988,847	1,180,602
March 1, 2018	5,400	77,536	82,936	259,310	1,236,131	1,495,441
June 1, 2018	1,500	42,568	44,068	130,475	969,812	1,100,287
Barley						
June 1, 2017	260	2,250	2,510	27,050	79,314	106,364
March 1, 2018	480 90	2,357	2,837	48,540	81,491	130,031
June 1, 2018	90	(D)	(D)	26,420	68,317	94,737
Oats						
June 1, 2017	` '	67	(D)	13,540	36,790	50,330
March 1, 2018	(D)	44	(D)	17,240	37,699	54,939
June 1, 2018	(D)	43	(D)	11,410	29,614	41,024
Corn						
June 1, 2017	` '	8,917	(D)	2,841,400	2,387,682	5,229,082
March 1, 2018	` '	17,094	(D)	5,002,000	3,890,126	8,892,126
June 1, 2018	(D)	6,818	(D)	2,750,100	2,555,840	5,305,940

⁽D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.



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